

Sporting Department

PENNSYLVANIA IS WAITING FOR GREAT MICHIGAN GAME

Most Important Football Clash Between the East and West Will Be Fought Out on Penn's Grounds on November 13—Red and Blue Team Suffer Many Accidents.

Philadelphia, Nov. 4.—With the Indian game played the Pennsylvania football team has turned the crisis of 1909 and will now prepare for Michigan and Cornell, the two championship games of the present season. It is true that Lafayette is yet to be disposed of, but the other two games are the ones for which preparation is being made. The work of the red and blue has been slower this year than ever before. Not once this season have the coaches been able to start the same backfield in two successive games. This has been due to the prevalence of injuries and also to the wholesale experimentation that the coaches have been making.

The line-up for Michigan may be: Braddock, left end; Fretz, left tackle; Dietrich, left guard; Cozens, center; Lamberton, right guard; Perrier, right tackle; Marks, right end; Miller, quarterback; Hellman; left halfback; Young, right halfback; Hutchinson, fullback.

The last shift, made as a result of the Penn State game, involved three positions. Of most importance was the return of Capt. Miller to quarterback. Miller started the season in this position, but was forced to end in order to make room for Thayer, a new man. The latter was found wanting in the Penn State game and the coaches lost no time in putting Miller back in this position. Miller is very skillful in the operation of the forward pass and seems able to get more work out of the team than Thayer.

Next to the shift of Miller the most important change was that of Marks to right end. Marks started the season at center; when he was hurt Cozens took his place. The latter played the position so well that the coaches feared to change him, and Marks was given a chance at halfback, where he was hurt again. This week the coaches tried him at end and he showed up unusually well. He is particularly expert in the handling of the forward pass, and because of his weight and line experience is a good man for boxing tackles. He is also one of the fastest sprinters on the team.

Hellman, until a week ago a scrub player, has made good at left halfback and will be played here permanently. It was thought that Sommer would be his running mate, but he lost out.

Another setback to the team was the injury to Hutchinson, who wrenched his knee in practice 10 days ago. He is just now rounding into shape again, but the coaches do not expect him to be at his best before the Michigan game. His substitute has been Hamedell.

Smyrna Figs in California.
Smyrna figs flourish in the San Joaquin valley, Cal., as in their native land.

JEFFRIES WILL FOLLOW THE EXAMPLE OF J. L. SULLIVAN

Berger Says White Champion Will Tour the Country Offering to Stop Two Men at Every Performance of His Show to Re-establish Confidence of His Friends.

"Just as soon as the matter of the bids is selected, Jeffries will tour the country with a company, offering to knock two men out at each performance," So said Manager Sam Berger, in New York Monday night. "We are simply swamped with offers for short bouts and several startling propositions have come from Philadelphia and Pittsburgh. Jeff and I have talked it over and he wants to prove to the public that he is thoroughly capable of fitting himself to take up the white man's cause."

"Jeff isn't against trying his hand at some of the six-round bouts with any of the good heavyweights now clamoring for recognition. Particularly does he favor the idea of going on the road with an athletic-theatrical show, with an offer to stop two men at each performance. In that way he hopes to regain his confidence."

"Now, mind you, that doesn't mean that Jeff has lost heart. Nothing of the sort. This sort of work would be rather to work off the strangeness that is bound to follow an extended absence from the ring. A man loses distance and it doesn't follow that he is going to pick it up in the gymnasium or on the road. Only actual contests—bouts in which you can count on the unexpected from the fellow in front of you—will be beneficial. Simply sparring with a partner doesn't mean anything more than to bolster up your wind."

"John L. Sullivan, Bob Fitzsimmons and other great fighters kept in shape between fights by going about the country bowling over all the comers. If we adopt that measure we will go through with it, no matter who looms up in the audience and signifies a willingness to try for the substantial reward that will be given to the man who is able to walk off the stage after Jeff gets through with him."

"It would be funny if Al Kaufman, Jack O'Brien, Jim Flynn or any of that crowd should bob up in some jerk-water town and demand a crack at little Jim. Well, they'll be accommodated."

HOME FOR HIS MOTHER.
The mother of Jack Johnson, champion, is authority for the statement that the champion is building a home in Chicago, which when completed and furnished, will represent a \$10,000 investment. He wrote to his mother before the Ketchel fight that he had bought the lot and would commence the erection of the home after the contest. Mrs. Johnson is just in receipt of another letter telling her and her two daughters to be ready to move to Chicago in a few weeks to make their home. He says he never will live in Texas again.

BOSTON AMERICAN MANAGER.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 4.—Following Fred Lake's resignation on Monday as manager of the Boston American league club, Patrick J. Donovan on Tuesday signed a contract to manage the team next year.

WHITE SOX HAVE PLENTY OF RECRUITS FOR 1910

Chicago, Nov. 4.—Fifty-six highly touted athletes, each a star of high degree, will strive for the positions on the White Sox crew of 1910.

Can Hugh Duffy, a master mind in baseball circles, muster a pennant winner from this array of talent? That's the problem already racking the brains of the south side rooters. Like the celebrated pickle maker, Comiskey has scouted for variety and success seems to have crowned his efforts, for from present indications the "Old Roman's" tourists will loom up like the light brigade when spring training is set in motion some frosty day next March.

Never before has a new manager assumed the reins leading a more formidable lot of youngsters and veterans than Duffy. Twenty-three seasoned artists and thirty-three huslers eager for major league fame will hop aboard the flyer departing for the Golden Gate. How many of these will wear white hose a month later is but a matter of conjecture. At least 23 will be crowned regulars. Comiskey's dream of another American league flag winner must be realized in 1910. That's a part of the agreement between the Sox owner and Duffy.

M'GOVERN SURE TO PLAY.

Gopher Star Injured in Chicago Game Will Be O. K. for Michigan.

Dispatches from Minneapolis have it that McGovern, the Minnesota star who kicked three field goals against Chicago Saturday, and ran the team with such scintillating success, will be back in the game in time to play against Michigan, though the broken collar bone which caused him to leave the field Saturday will keep him out of the coming game when the Gophers meet Wisconsin.

MATCH FOR SCULLY.

Within a short time George White, manager of Tommy Scully, the Escanaba bantam, expects to clinch a scrap with Johnny Coulton, the champion of the world. The promoters of Escanaba boxing association are awaiting news from White and the moment the match with the wonderful Johnny is secured, other bouts will be arranged and the date set.

Coulton has demanded a stiff guarantee, the amount of which has practically been assured him.

NO HOPE FOR BADGERS.

Alonso A. Stagg Says Gophers Should Win With Ease.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 4.—Coach A. A. Stagg does not share the hopes of the Chicago university football fans that Wisconsin will defeat Minnesota in next Saturday's battle, thus making possible a triple tie for the big eight football conference championship. Stagg thinks that the Gophers will have just as little trouble running away with Wisconsin as they had defeating the maroons.

Even with Johnson and McGovern the two bright Gopher stars, out of the line-up on account of injuries, Stagg thinks Minnesota is strong enough to put away the Badgers with much ease.

"Minnesota has a great team this year," said Stagg. "We lost and we have no complaint to make. They played a better game than we did. It is unfortunate that we had to put some crimples in our line-up, but that does not detract in the least from the Minnesota victory."

STANLEY KETCHEL'S MANAGER WHO DIED VERY SUDDENLY.



WILLUS BRITT.

San Francisco, Nov. 4.—Willus Britt, manager of Stanley Ketchel, whose sudden death resulted from a hemorrhage of the lungs, was one of the best known fight managers of the country. Britt had founded all his hopes on a desire to get a man to beat Jack Johnson. He believed when he landed Ketchel that he had the man. All his hopes were founded on this battle for the heavyweight championship and the result was a crushing blow to Britt.

Britt was only 32 years old, but two years ago he drank so heavily that his life was despaired of and early this year in New York he narrowly escaped death as a result of alcoholic excesses.

Britt was a clever boxer when younger, but more recently he turned his attention to promoting prize fights. He was a good talker, shrewd and one of the best ringside coaches in the country.

Britt began as a newspaper writer

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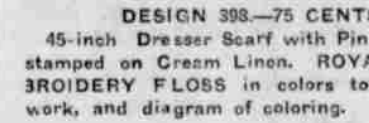
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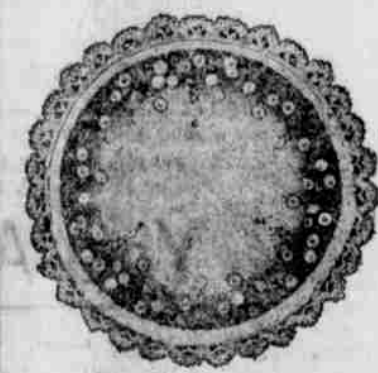
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on a local afternoon paper but when Jimmy Britt leaped into prominence as a pugilist he became his brother's manager, and it was largely through his advice that Nelson beat Gans.

Britt coached Ketchel well, but he made a ghastly mistake when he matched Stanley with Johnson and it was the realization of this error that drove him to his last and fatal drinking spell.

With Britt dead Ketchel must get a new manager. When Tom Jones, manager of Ad Wolgast, was here he slipped out the door on the side that he had been approached by Ketchel in regard to taking the management while the fighter was in the east. Jones refused to consider the proposition while Britt was in charge. "If you ever leave Britt let me know and

I will consider it," was Jones' answer to the request. Joe O'Connor is still highly thought of by Ketchel and may be asked to come back and handle his protegee whom he brought into the front ranks of pugilism.

COLLINS SUCCEEDS DUFFY.

Jimmy Collins, the former manager of the Boston Americans, who last season managed the Minneapolis line of the American Association has signed up as manager of the Providence team, succeeding Hugh Duffy. Collins will have a free hand, and the Providence fans are sure to see some good baseball under his clever leadership. Jimmy is making Boston his home this winter, and will, therefore, be in close touch with matters pertaining

to the club.

TO DROP OFFICIALS.

The Carlisle Indians evidently thought that they were scheduled to pull off the stunt of reproducing an Indian attack on a Quaker settlement instead of playing football against the Pennsylvania team last Saturday. Warner tried to scalp one of the officials and was escorted from the field by a policeman. The Quakers have decided to drop Warner's team from their schedule.

One ton of apples will usually yield 150 gallons of cider. The United Kingdom manufactures 260,000 tons of soap yearly. America leads the world in the pro-

duction of rosin and turpentine. The new terminal station of the Pennsylvania railroad in New York has 16 miles of tracks, including 21 standing stations.

A Chinaman rescued from drowning is compelled to support his rescuer for the rest of his life.

Farming in some parts of Nigeria has been rendered unprofitable by the raids of baboons.

There is one mill in Minneapolis that turns out between 17,000 and 18,000 barrels of flour each day.

During the first seven months of this year over 70,000 people left the United Kingdom for British North America.